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**ELECTRIC MACHINE HAVING A
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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision
of the Examiner made in the Final Office Action dated October 25, 2001 finally rejecting claims 6 and
10-24.

Applicants also respectfully request a **one-month extension of time** in which to respond to
the Final Office Action, for which a response period expiring on January 25, 2002 was set. The
extended period expires on February 25, 2002.

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